

**Department of Health and Mental Hygiene  
Workgroup on Cancer Clusters and Environmental Causes of Cancer**

***Request for Public Comment***

The Department of Health and Mental Hygiene has convened a Workgroup on Cancer Clusters and Environmental Causes of Cancer, pursuant to [Senate Bill 380](#). The current process that is used in Maryland to investigate suspected cancer clusters can be found at:

[http://phpa.dhmh.maryland.gov/cancer/Documents/homemos/Shared10/03/ccsc10-03\\_att\\_guideline\\_cancer\\_cluster01082010.pdf](http://phpa.dhmh.maryland.gov/cancer/Documents/homemos/Shared10/03/ccsc10-03_att_guideline_cancer_cluster01082010.pdf)

The Workgroup has completed its charge of examining issues relating to the investigation of potential cancer clusters in the State and potential environmental causes of cancer, and has drafted a report of findings and recommendations. The draft report is available online at:

<http://dhmh.maryland.gov/docs/CancerClusterWkgpRep.cc9.pdf>

The Department is seeking comments from the public regarding the draft report. If you have comments or feedback on the report, please send by **May 22, 2014** to:

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